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Statewide Non-Profit Organization to Honor Rep. Winkler



HARTFORD-On Tuesday November 15, State Representative Lenny Winkler, R-Groton, will be honored by the Connecticut Association of Nonprofits (CAN) for her longstanding support of nonprofit agencies as a legislator. The "Annual Legislative Award" will be bestowed during CAN's annual convention in Hartford at

the Connecticut Convention Center.

CAN represents nearly 500 nonprofit organizations, many of which are human and social service providers working to improve the quality of life throughout the Connecticut.

"We are pleased to recognize Lenny's longstanding commitment to nonprofit organizations in her community and statewide," said Ron Cretaro, CAN's executive director. "She has been especially supportive in the areas of health and human services, substance abuse, children, domestic violence, the environment and the arts."

"These nonprofit organizations play a vital role in dealing with some of our most vulnerable citizens," said Rep. Winkler. "In many instances, they work on a very limited budget, yet produce some of the greatest results toward bettering communities. I am very honored to have been selected for this legislative award and will continue to work on the behalf of the organizations."